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FOR AMBASSADOR YOUNG FROM UNA

FOLLOWING REPEAT DAKAR 2012 ACTION SECSTATE INFO PARIS MAR 16

QUOTE: UNCLAS DAKAR 2012

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SUBJECT: SENEGAL'S NEW GOVERNMENT

1. ANNOUNCEMENT OF FORMATION OF SENEGAL'S NEW CABINET
WAS MADE ON RADIO AND TV EVENING OF MARCH 15 AND CARRIED
FRONT PAGE LE SOLEIL MARCH 16. CABINET HAS BEEN EXPANDED
FROM 18 TO 24 MEMBERS AND INVOLVES MASSIVE RESHUFFLE WITH
ONLY 6 MINISTERS RETAINING FORMER PORTFOLIOS. ABDOU
DIOUF REMAINS AS PRIME MINISTER, AS EXPECTED. SIX MINISTERS
LOST THEIR JOBS AND TOTAL OF 12 NEWCOMERS, AMONG THEM TWO
WOMEN, WERE APPOINTED.

2. COMPOSITION OF NEW CABINET IS AS FOLLOWS:

UNCHANGED (7)

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ABDOU DIOUF	PRIME MINISTER
JEAN COLLIN	MINISTER OF INTERIOR
ALIOUNE BADARA MBENGUE	MINISTER OF JUSTICE
AMADOU CLEDOR SALL	MINISTER OF DEFENSE
OUSMANE CAMARA	MINISTER OF HIGHER EDUCATION
ABDEL KADER FALL	MINISTER OF NATIONAL EDUCATION
DAOUDA SOW	MINISTER OF INFORMATION

TRANSFERRED (6)

ASSANE SECK FROM FOREIGN AFFAIRS TO MINISTER
OF CULTURE
BABACAR BA FROM FINANCE TO MINISTER OF
FOREIGN AFFAIRS
OUSMANE SECK FROM PLANNING TO MINISTER OF FINANCE
ADRIEN SEGHOR FROM RURAL DEVELOPMENT TO MINISTER
OF EQUIPMENT (NEW POSITION)
LOUIS ALEXANDRENNE FROM INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT TO
MINISTER OF PLAN
MAMADOU DIOP FROM TRANSPORT TO MINISTER OF
PUBLIC HEALTH

NEW (12)

MKUSTAPHA NIASSE MINISTER OF URBAN AFFAIRS,
H
USIG AND ENVIRONMENT
BABACAR DIAGNE PRIME MINISTER'S DEPUTY WITH
CABINET RANK
DJIBRIL SENE MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
CHEIKH AMIDOU KANE MINISTER OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT
MME. CAROLINE DIOP MINISTER OF SOCIAL WELFARE
ALIOUNE DIAGNE MINISTER OF LABOR
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MME. MAIMOUNA KANE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR WOMEN'S
AFFAIRS
FRANCOIS BOB SECRETARY OF STATE FOR YOUTH
AND SPORTS
MOHAMED LY SECRETARY OF STATE FOR PRIME
MINISTRY
SERIGNE LAMINE DIOP SECRETARY OF STATE FOR BUDGETARY
AFFAIRS
ROBERT SAGNA SECRETARY OF STATE FOR HUMAN
PROMOTION
CHEIKH CISSOKO SECRETARY OF STATE FOR WATER
RESOURCES AND FORESTRY

3. THE FOLLOWING HAVE DEPARTED THE CABINET:

DOUDOU NGOM FORMER MINISTER OF HEALTH
AMADOU LY FORMER MINISTER OF LABOR
ALIOUNE SENE FORMER MINISTER OF CULTURE
JOSEPH MATHIAM FORMER MINISTER OF YOUTH AND SPORTS
BEN MADY CISSE FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE FOR
HUMAN PROMOTION
BASSIROU GUEYE FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE FOR

PRIME MINISTRY

4. SEPTTEL FOLLOWS WITH DETAILS/AND ANALYSIS OF CHANGES.

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